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1. MINISTER OF NORTHERN GREECE MARTIS HAS SENT HIS POLITICAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR BOTSARIS TO CALL ON ME AND EXPRESS MINISTER'S PERSONAL CONDOLENCES OVER DEATH OF WELCH.
2. GREEK SECURITY FORCES AS OF MIDNIGHT LAST NIGHT HAVE INCREASED SECURITY AROUND CONSULATE AND ARE PROVIDING SECURITY FOR RESIDENCES OF JUSMAGG LIAISON OFFICER AND BPAO.
3. MORNING PAPERS BANNER HEADLINE ASSASSINATION. STORIES PROVIDE SUCH DETAILS AS ARE AVAILABLE AND MAKE POINT OF LINKING ASSASSINATION TO "ATHENS NEWS" STORY OF NOVEMBER 25 ON CIA IN GREECE.  
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